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## Inventor or Application Identifier:

Kenneth M. Buckland

Entitled: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING TRAFFIC IN AN  
ACCESS NETWORK

## Enclosed are:

- Specification (33 Total Pages)  
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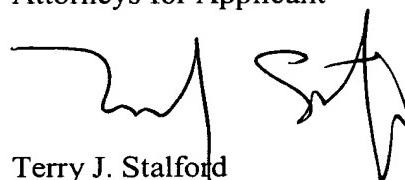
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